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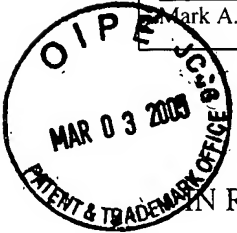
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: **BITTAR, Michael S.**

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TITLE: **Electromagnetic Wave Resistivity Tool Having a Tilted Antenna for Geosteering Within a Desired Payzone**

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GROUP ART UNIT: **2862**

EXAMINING ATTORNEY: **Whittington, K.**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Examiner Whittington:

This correspondence is being filed in response to an Office Action mailed August 26, 2004. Applicant responds within six (6) months of the mailing date of the Office Action and files herewith a petition and fee for a three (3) month extension of the shortened statutory period of time for response. Applicant requests entry of the amendments below and further examination of the application in light of the appended remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

The complete set of the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 26 of this paper.